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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: IWASAKI et al.

Serial No.: 09/985,904

Filed: November 6, 2001.

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE WITH LAYERED INTERCONNECT
STRUCTURE

Group: 2813

Examiner: S. Smoot

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 29, 2003

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed June 27, 2003. A credit card charge in/including the amount of \$950.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (referencing Case No. 501.36931CX1).

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